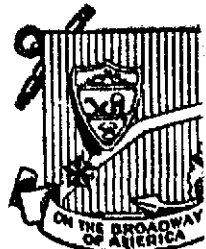


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## WEATHER FORECAST

Arkansas: Showers today, to night tomorrow. Local thunderstorms in the west today tonight. No important temperature changes.

Temperature  
High 68 58  
Rainfall .84

## Prisoners Take Hostages as Riots Spread

### Michigan, New Jersey Convicts Holding Out

Jackson, Mich. April 21 (AP) — Rioting prisoners seized control of large sections of the big Southern Michigan State Prison today and set one building on fire in a continuation of an outbreak that began Sunday night.

The bulk of the Michigan State Police force was rushed to the scene to guard the beleaguered institution and prevent any possible mass escape attempts.

Half a dozen prison guards had been injured as the rioting spread into mid-morning.

The quartermaster building containing clothing, was set ablaze. State Police used tear gas to keep some of the rioters from breaking into other cell blocks.

Meanwhile another group broke into the prison theater, seized musical instruments and paraded in the yard.

Rahway, N. J. April 21 (AP) — With hunger and thirst as their allies, Rahway State Prison officials waited patiently today for a break in a four-day rebellion of 231 hard-bitten convicts.

The revolt is the longest in a series of five prison outbreaks in the state. A similar mutiny by 60 convicts at Trenton State Prison 40 miles to the south, ended Friday after 77 hours.

Barricaded in a dormitory wing, the prisoners were promised they would receive no bodily punishment if they surrendered without harming their eight guard hostages.

The desperate convicts vowed "victory or death" in their mutiny, reportedly were arguing and bickering.

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## Hope Hatchery Visited by Breeder

George Ellis, president of the Indian River Poultry Farm, Lancaster, Pa., visited the Corn Belt Hatcheries in Hope Saturday. Mr. Ellis is the founder of the world famous Indian River Cross Breeder Chicken and has been one of the foremost poultry breeders in America for the past twenty years.

He is visiting Indian River Hatcheries throughout the country and checking up on their operations.

In an interview with Mr. Ellis by a Star reporter he said that according to officials of Corn Belt Hatcheries they would not have been able to establish themselves in Hope without the thorough and aggressive assistance and promotion of the Chamber of Commerce.

When asked his opinion of their operation here he stated the demand for their services is very definite and that they certainly should be able to better serve their customers in this area.

Mr. Ellis said the commercial broiler industry has more than doubled in production in the last ten years. He credits this growth primarily to the ability of the industry to market a competitive product. It is the only agriculture enterprise that can be started and stopped at any time and is the only one that has a three months cycle.

In his twenty years in the poultry production business he indicated there has never been a six months period of unprofitable operation for the industry as a whole.

There are some 17 million broilers produced each week in the United States and he said you can see there is little danger of one small area causing a great overproduction for the industry as a whole. The present capacity of the Hope Corn Belt Hatchery is approximately 2 million baby chicks per year.

Commenting on the favorable points for poultry production in this area Mr. Ellis had this to say:

"A farmer raising 3,000 broiler chickens four times a year will produce 15 tons of manure each time and there is nothing that will help a sick agriculture area any better than poultry farming."

One of the primary reasons for the development of the poultry industry has been the highly specialized operations in the various phases of the industry. Every step from the breeder to the broiler producer has been highly specialized to achieve the most competitive product possible.

## Stolen Truck Brings Arrest of Three Men

State Patrolman Travis Ward recovered a stolen truck and arrested three men for the theft here last night.

The truck, owned by Texarkana Rendering Plant, Texarkana, was stolen about 8 p.m. and was recovered here about 10:30 p.m. Arrested were Alfred H. Reed 27, Eddie Aulston, 22, C. M. Snowden, 28. The latter has served time in prison. Officer Ward said.

The truck was recovered before the owners knew it had been stolen.

## Reds Won't Discuss Issue of Airfliers

Munsan, Korea, April 21 (AP) — The Allies charged that the Reds in today's armistice talks refused to "discuss or even acknowledge" the issue of military airfield construction in Korea during a truce.

The United Nations Command wants to ban the building of military airfields during a truce. The Reds have called this interference in the internal affairs of North Korea.

A UNC communique said the matter of which nations shall supervise a truce "has been solved" by the UNC suggestion that only four nations—Sweden, Switzerland, Poland and Czechoslovakia—form the neutral "supervisory" commission.

The Reds want Russia on the list. The Allies do not.

Staff officers discussing truce supervision stayed in session an hour and four minutes Monday.

Other staff officers conferring on prisoner exchange—third stumbling block to a truce agreement—held an hour and 47 minutes off the record session.

Both groups planned to meet again Tuesday at 11 a.m. (3 p.m. Monday EST).

UNC staff officers have told the Communists they "must take some forward step" if there is to be any settlement of the airfield issue.

The Reds replied Monday a UNC communique said, that no progress will be possible if the UNC "continues to assume its unwilling attitude." The Allies answered that the problem "will not disappear by simply calling it 'an unreasonable demand'" the communique said.

## Donations to Cancer Fund Reach \$613

Previous report \$430.00  
Home Demonstration Clubs  
Mrs. Lorraine Blackwood, Chairman

DeAnn HD Club	5.00
Hinton HD Club	2.00
Liberty HD Club	2.00
Centerville HD Club	3.00
Bruner-Ivory Handle Mill	25.00
Hope Star	25.00
Gunter Lumber Company	15.00
Dr. J.W. Branch	10.00
W. Shanhower Sons Inc	10.00
West Bros. Hope	10.00
Owen's Department Store	10.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Carlton	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Perkins	5.00
Morgan & Lindsey	5.00
Crescent Drug Store	5.00
Mrs. Emma Thomas	5.00
Girl Scout Troop 4	4.00
Miss Exa Olive	3.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Johnson	2.00
Conner's Appliance	2.00
O. K. Barber Shop	2.00
Foster's Shoe Store	2.00
Byers Swap Shop	2.00
Delaney Grocery	2.00
S. D. Cook	1.00
Mrs. W. W. Duckett	1.00
Miss Lulu Allen	1.00
G. A. Hobbs Grocery	1.00
Ralph Montgomery Gro	1.00
Roy Mullins	1.00
Baker's Food Store	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wiggins	1.00
Mrs. D. Delaney	1.00
Dannie Hamilton	1.00
Jim Cole	1.00
Miscellaneous	.55
Ozan	
Wilbur Jones	1.00
Charles Locke	1.00
Earl Robins	1.00
L. J. Robins	1.00
Arthur Gray	1.00
O. R. Green	1.00
C. D. Walker	1.00
Mrs. Annie L. Christian	1.00
Mrs. Blanche Hines	1.00
Mrs. C. W. Irvin	1.00
Total	\$613.15

## McClellan and Fulbright Would Mend Labor Law

Washington, April 21 (AP)—An Arkansas shirt manufacturer's troubles with the Labor Department generated new steam today for some drastic changes in a wage control law.

Senators Fulbright and McClellan, Arkansas Democrats, called for a Labor Department explanation of the row and faster action on Fulbright's proposed amendment to the Walsh-Healey Act.

This statute separate from the minimum wage and hours law, requires holders of government contracts to agree to pay wages set by the Labor department and to regulate working conditions as the department directs.

Fulbright contends the department improperly has set most wage scales on a nation wide level instead of making them conform to the prevailing wage scales in the particular locality affected.

He wants Congress to redefine that provision and also to "provide a more effective" method of appealing to the courts from the department's orders.

The two senators said they have a complaint from Bob Hill of the Bohannon Corp., Ft. Smith, Ark. charging that the Walsh-Healey Act is used "to extort money from those of us who have attempted to make our meager contributions to the defense effort."

Hill wrote that the Air Force urged him to speed delivery of aircraft he had contracted to produce for the fighting in Korea without paying the cost to the government. Hill said he agreed, although it meant a loss of \$1,861.19 on the contract through staff additions and overtime work.

"At the time I thought it was

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## Taft Backers Want Views of Eisenhower

Washington April 21 (AP)— Gen. Dwight Eisenhower's views on 21 "vital questions" are sought in a petition being circulated nationally, Taft-for-President headquarters reports.

A headquarters spokesman yesterday said circulation of the questionnaire addressed to Eisenhower was arranged by Guy L. Smith, editor of the Knoxville Journal and Tennessee Republican state chairman. Smith is a supporter of Sen. Robert Taft of Ohio, a front-runner with Eisenhower in the race for the Republican presidential nomination.

The Hague and Paris have been mentioned as possible places for signing the contract.

Adenauer said last month the Big Three foreign ministers would come to Bonn for the signing. Since then the prospect has dimmed that the related German European Army Treaty will be ready for signing at the same time.

## Civilization Organizes Against Most Diseases But 'Sespag' Has Been Ignored Much to Long

By HAL BOYLE

New York, April 21 (AP)— Are you a Sespag?

Would you like to be a Sespag? Oh, come on, now. Be a Sespag. Please.

You'll really stand out from the crowd, once you're a Sespag. What is a Sespag? Well—don't laugh— a Sespag is a member of the society for the extension of sympathy to people afflicted with gout.

Civilization has needed an organization of this kind for a long time. Every other disease in the medical textbooks has its true blue friends today — from halitosis to hernia from acidosis to acute alcoholism.

But gout? Ha, ha, ha ha ha ha ha ha. Nobody takes gout seriously today except those who suffer from it. Madness and meanness are respectable. But gout? "Oh, no, not really—gout? Ha, ha, ha ha ha!"

It is high time we had a national gout week so the buddies of this ailment can band together and get some public understanding. I feel this way because I have just spent five days flat on my back with a throbbing foot propped on a pillow.

When I returned to work leaning with quiet drama on a new \$5 cane, I naturally expected to be rewarded with a little bit of human kindness. When an office pal asked what was wrong with my foot, I mumbled bravely:

"Oh, nothing much. The doctor calls it rheumatoid arthritis."

"That's just a fancy word for gout," he said. "So you got the gout, eh? Ha, ha. Boy you must have been doing some high living. Ha, ha."

So he passed the word along and the office became a den of laughter hyenas—"Ha, ha, ha ha ha ha ha ha! He's got the gout. Wish I could afford it."

Well there you are. Tell some body you got the gout, and right away he jumps to the conclusion you've been running in pants with

## Boo Club DinSet for Tort at 7:30

Bigwin the University of Arkansas staff, along with Hope Mrs. of the Parker football team will be special guests tonight 7:30 at Hotel Barlow on the Booster Club.

Official directors of the Booster will meet with the coaches p.m. at the Barlow. The speakers include:

John Hill, Otis Douglas, and Tommy Thompson, Chism Reed, head of state Booster organization, A. Berry, War Memorial Stadium manager, and Hope players, Bud Sutton, Edsel Nix and Tommy.

The dinner is limited to 125 and Robins announced a few tickets were still available.

## U. High Court Refuses to Hear Maxwell Appeal

Washington April 21 (AP)— The U. S. Supreme Court today refused a hearing to the appeal of the rape of a white woman near Hope, Ark.

Maxwell appealed to the highest tribunal making three appeals to the Arkansas Supreme Court. He contended that his lawyer a criminal information filed by a prosecutor instead of a grand jury indictment amounted to denial of due process of law.

The case occurred on July 20, 1943. The Supreme Court's denial of a hearing to Maxwell apparently leaves Arkansas free to carry out the penalty of electrocution.

Maxwell is a Negro.

## Acheson Will Go to Germany to Sign Treaty

Bonn, Germany, April 21 (AP)— U. S. Secretary of State Dean Acheson has informed Chancellor Konrad Adenauer he would sign the treaty between North West Germany and the United States.

The Hague and Paris have been mentioned as possible places for signing the contract.

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## Mosier Not to Make Race for Sheriff

Milton Mosier, currently mentioned as a possible candidate for Sheriff of Hempstead County today said he had abandoned the idea. He listed his reasons as:

"Only two or three days ago, I was definitely advised that I made the race for Sheriff of Hempstead County and happened to be unsuccessful. That I would lose all my seniority and rank with the Arkansas State Police Department."

I have also been concerned about the large amount of money, which I understand is necessary to be used in order to make the race and be elected Sheriff. As all of you know, I am not financially able to voluntarily assume such a risk as that.

It has always been my life's ambition to serve as Sheriff of my home county, but for reasons mentioned above, I have decided not to be a candidate for that office in this year's election.

I desire to make my decision public at this early date in order that any other person, who may have the desire to run for Sheriff would have ample opportunity to consider the possibility after it is known that I will not be a candidate.

I am now and will always be deeply grateful to the good citizens of this county, who have assured me of their support. I hope to so live and conduct my personal affairs as to continue to merit your confidence and respect.

Respectfully yours  
MILTON (SCRUB) MOSIER

## Mrs. J. J. Byers Injured in Fall

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## Truman Warns Senate GOP Proposals Could Close Steel Output

### Woodmen Circle to Meet



Lucille Wall



Bonnie Wheatley

Members of the Central district of the Woodmen Circle in Arkansas will meet April 29 in district convention in the Hotel Bachelor, Conway, according to Mrs. Enola Stewart, district president. The more than fifty delegates expected to register at 1:00 p. m. will be guests of Holly Grove 93.

Immediately following registration, delegates will be welcomed by the mayor, Mrs. Emma Cutter, Little Rock, will respond. The regular order of business will take up most of the afternoon session in addition to ritualistic work and the awarding of proficiency certificates. Holly Grove 93 will be toastmaster.

Mrs. Madge Floyd, will assist in the ceremonies. Mrs. Lucille Wall, Hope, state manager for the Woodmen Circle in Arkansas, will address the convention at this session. District officers will be elected preceding adjournment.

Highlight of the convention will be the 6:30 p. m. banquet at which Mrs. Jaqueline Coxsey, president of Holly A variety program has been arranged for the entertainment of banquet guests, after which newly elected officers will be installed. Miss Wall and Mrs. Cutter will direct the installation ceremony.

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## Control of Buying May End Soon

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## Says Funds Must Be Available to Operate Mills

Washington April 21 (AP)— President Truman told the Senate today if it restricts use of government funds for operation of the seized steel mills it may result in "paralyzing the operations of the government in an emergency."

In a letter to Vice President Barkley, the President hit out vigorously at Republican-sponsored moves to deny any funds for government operation of the mills.

He said enactment of the GOP proposals might lead to a complete shutdown in steel and "immediately reduce the ability of our troops in Korea to defend themselves against attack."

Further the President contended much of the debate on the matter



# Pound Foolish

by ROBERT MOLLOY

CHAPTER THIRTY-TWO

HENRI was pleased to see Joseph Newman again the following Wednesday. Leonie wasn't. She had wanted, that day at the beach, to be kind, but as the days passed she knew that she had let herself in for another session of pleading, sooner or later. Joseph wasn't the kind to give up easily.

He had brought her a box of candy and two delicate and intricate shells from his collection. He talked about the shells and his mining career, but he looked bored and she was less interested than ever. She was tremendously relieved when he consulted his bulky ingersoll and decided it was time to go.

He appeared again on Friday evening and asked Leonie if she would like to attend the band concert with him Sunday afternoon.

"Thanks, but I don't believe I would," Leonie said, and then she added a little cruelly, "I don't take much interest in music."

After the conversation showed in Joseph's unpracticed face. "No?" he inquired. "Not much?"

"I don't know how anybody can sit through a symphony," she said. "I guess I've just had a bit too much of it."

Leonie said, "I've lived with a singer ever since I was three."

She could see that Joseph was weighing the chances of happiness with a woman who did not care for music.

"Well, Leonie," he said after a pause, "that would make me kind of a nuisance, I guess."

"I didn't mean anything like that," Leonie assured him, but she hoped he would take the hint.

The news of the German invasion of Belgium shook Henri out of his indifference to world affairs, and he spent the breakfast period comparing it to the invasion of South Carolina. He did not seem tremendously impressed by the fate of Belgium.

"It's too bad," he said, "but I've got too many troubles of my own to worry about Europe."

Referring that women were interested in their views, Henri set out for work. Since both of them were practical in their habits, it was not surprising that he and Leonie reached an agreement.

Terrified that the Colonel after they had exchanged greetings, "I'm glad to see you," he said.

"History repeats itself," said the Colonel, looking around at houses in and Henri could remember in a state of disorientation after the bombardment. "In more ways than one."

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## McMath Set to Announce for 3d Term

By The Associated Press

Atty. Gen. Ike Murry has selected an announced candidate for the Democratic nomination last week and speculation is that Murry will come out for a third term this fall.

Murry went back to his law office to formally announce his candidacy. He has been a candidate for the office since 1938.

McMath, under the leadership of his political supporters, will announce his candidacy in his native town Saturday night. He has been a member of the House of Representatives since 1938.

McMath was born in the county of which Magnolia is the county seat.

McMath will have to compete for political support from the town, who will hold the state convention at Little Rock on Saturday.

While the expected McMath announcement probably will cause some interest in Democratic circles, the Republican nomination is expected to draw more interest nationally.

That, of course, is because of the battle for delegates to the Republican National Convention which will be held in St. Louis between those who want GOP presidential nomination Sen. Robert Taft of Ohio and to whom he is for Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower.

Arkansas is an exception. Sen. Hiram Boren has said he will make an all-out effort to capture the four delegates from the state election will come.

Wallace Townsend, Republican national committeeman in Arkansas, has said he believes that Boren is the best choice of delegates already selected by congressional districts although the two have definitely committed themselves.

One other district delegate still is to be selected this week in Arkansas. It votes in all the national meetings.

Taft will make the keynote speech at the Arkansas convention, but is not expected to take an active part.

Murry announced his candidacy at a \$10 a plate dinner which Fordyce and Dallas County supporters arranged.

Some 200 persons bought tickets. The dinner was not a success, however, said not proceeds would be used to start a Murry campaign fund.

Murry promised that if elected governor he would give "the best and cleanest state government that it is within my power to give."

The attorney general, who took his 39th birthday on May 8, criticized McMath. He recalled the recent Highway Audit Commission declaration that dishonesty, waste and extravagance had existed in the Highway Department.

"The governor," Murry asserted, "and he was going to make a hind the closure of what was a indictment of the state's cold crisp but to date he has administration."

Murry said that 25 million dollars in new roads could be built in a year without an increase in taxes or "additional bonds."

Murry was chief assistant attorney general before being elected attorney general in 1948. He is married and the father of a daughter.

Besides Murry, others who've announced for the Democratic nomination are Rep. Boyd Tackett of Nashville, Chas. E. H. Francis Cherry of Jonesboro, Jack Holt of Harrison and Little Rock and Dutton O'Neal of North Little Rock.

Deadline for qualifying is April 30.

## Schafer Shows to Play This Week at Fair Park, Sponsored by Livestock Association

Schafer shows arrived in Hope over the week end and will play through Saturday, April 26 at Fair Park. The show is under the sponsorship of the Third District Livestock Show.

The midway, described as one of the greatest the south has seen, features sparkling new attractions and rides and opens nightly at 6:18. An afternoon performance will be held Saturday.

The show includes blackface, cot-pole, minstrel, singing and dancing; a show entitled, "Oddities of America," featuring the world's smallest mother, her two children and a half-year-old child almost as tall as she, a girl with four hands, a fat man weighing more than 600 pounds, a fire eater and a magician—all fascinating acts and in one show.

Zu Belle, the lady from Africa, who lives with reptiles has been terrifying the spectators for some eight years. Another interesting feature is the monkey circus. The little schimps scramble up the fence to mooch popcorn, tug at onlookers' shoes, shine shoes, perform various dance routines—yes and even play violins.

The House of Horrors, affords the onlookers plenty of thrills and chills. Schafer shows also feature a show of feminine beauty with the "Follies of '52."

Don't forget the date, April 21 through the 26th at Fair Park. The public is welcome.

## State Band to Hold Meeting

Hot Springs, April 21 (AP)—The Arkansas School Band Association will hold its annual All-State Festival here Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Seventy-three bands and more than 450 solos and ensembles are expected in the competition for medals.

FIRE HITS SAIGON

Saigon, Indochina, April 21 (AP)—Fire destroyed 1500 straw huts at the edge of Saigon today leaving 10000 persons homeless.

The blaze was started, authorities said when a bottle of gasoline was accidentally dropped and caught fire.

### DAIRY CALF SALE

BIG SPECIAL SALE OF DAIRY CALVES

## FRIDAY APRIL 25

7:30 P. M.

Held at

# SUTTON LIVESTOCK COMMISSION

HOPE, ARKANSAS

## 100 HEAD

of Holstein, Guernsey, Jersey, Brown Swiss, and Ayrshire.

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Remember the Date . . . April 25th  
Starting at 7:30 P. M.

### H. E. Flanagan & Son

OWNERS  
Charleston, Arkansas

Jackson, Mich. April 21 (AP)—Six more guards were seized as hostages by mutineers at the state prison of Southern Michigan today.

This brought to 10 the number of hostages held by the prisoners.

Four other guards had been in the prisoners' custody since last night.

The method of seizure of the additional six was not immediately made clear at the prison.

The first gunfire of the prison riot meanwhile took place.

### State Senator Is Versatile Man

Warren, April 21 (AP)—State Sen. Lee Reeves is a versatile man.

In addition to serving in the Legislature, he has been a school teacher, tree surgeon and now superintendent of the Bradley County Hospital.

The other day a cow belonging to farmer John Will Gibson was hit by an automobile and suffered a deep gash in the neck. The veterinarian was out of town. So Hospital Supt. Reeves went to Gibson's farm and sewed up the gash.

### PRESCRIPTION FOR BETTER HEALTH

# Sleep Show

APRIL 14-26

## Sleep Your Way to New Health

The next thirteen days can be the most important of your life if you come in to see the Sleep Show at Hope Furniture Co. At no other time have we had such a complete selection of newly designed bedding, especially tailored to your weight, sleeping habits, and decorative ideas. Now you can get all the rest for which you use this vital third of your life. Now you can wake up with a new zest for living.

And now is your time to get the mattress that's just exactly right for your individual comfort needs. Made by the leading manufacturers of mattresses and nationally advertised, such as Simons Beauty Rest, Sealy's Orthopedic foundation and Inner Springs, Serta Corporation's perfect sleeper, and rubber mattresses, Englanders inner springs and rubber mattresses, and Slumber Products Corporation Restonic triple cushion innersprings, all to be had at Hope Furniture Co. And to your advantage during National Sleep Show, we will give free with each innerspring mattress sold, a \$6.75 quilted mattress protector.

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**DURING NATIONAL SLEEP SHOW YOU WILL FIND ATTRACTIVE PRICES ON OTHER MERCHANDISE**

Come in and see these mattresses at

## HOPE FURNITURE CO.

### American Jet Planes Bag 7 Chinese

Scout, Korea April 21 (AP)—U. S. fighter jet pilots today shot down seven and damaged six Communist MIG jets the Fifth Air Force announced.

The Air Force said the Russian-made jets were bagged in three separate aerial duels involving 100 Red planes.

The day's biggest fight produced America's 11th jet ace—Capt. Robert J. Love San Bernardino, Calif. He shot down two MIGs in a battle involving 28 Sabres and 50 MIGs the Air Force said. Three other MIGs were shot down—three were damaged and one of the Reds new fast type 15 jets was hit in this scrap. It raged 30 minutes from 4000 feet down to tree top level.

The aerial battles started shortly after daylight. In the first 18 MIGs were driven back across the Yalu River into their Manchurian sanctuary by four jets. One MIG was reported damaged.

An hour later the big fight joined as the Red fighters roared south across the Yalu to attack Allied planes on bomb runs.

Shortly before noon, 19 Sabres and 25 MIGs tangled. Two of the Red fighters were shot down and one was damaged.

Fighting on the 155-mile ground front was sporadic and generally light.

### SWEEP TO DEATH

Covina, Calif. April 21 (AP)—A 15-year-old girl Scout, playing near the head of one of America's highest waterfalls slipped into the river and was swept to her death over 60 foot Sutter Falls Sunday.

She was Beverly Fyfe, member of a Sacramento Girl Scout troop.

# REWARD

## \$10,000

### FOR CAPTURE OF SCHAFER'S "JUST FOR FUN" WILD MAN

Last Seen Heading West on Highway 67

DESCRIPTION —  
HEIGHT . . . . . 7 Feet, 4 Inches  
WEIGHT . . . . . 390 Lbs.  
EYES . . . . . Bloodshot  
COMPLEXION . . . . . Hairy  
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## Calendar

Monday, April 21

Mrs. Donald Dill will present her piano pupils in two recitals. The boys in the class will perform Monday evening, April 21 at 7:30 at the Junior High School auditorium. The following evening, April 22, at 7:30 the girls in the class will be presented. The public is invited.

The Jett B. Graves Sunday School Class of the First Methodist Church will have its monthly pot luck at the church Monday, April 21, at 6:30. All members are urged to attend.

Tuesday, April 22

The Christian Women Fellowship of the First Methodist Church will present Mrs. Florence Ambrose of Prescott and Luther Holloman, a vocal and organ concert at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, April 22. It will be the story of Jesus Christ in song. The public is invited.

The Children of Confederacy will meet Tuesday, April 22, at 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. A. Williams 819 South Main Street. All members are urged to be present.

The Cosmopolitan Club will meet at the home of Mrs. R. E. Jackson with Mrs. Lawrence Martin as co-

hostess Tuesday, April 22, at 7:45.

The Nandina Garden Club will meet Tuesday night, April 22, at 7:30 in the home of Mrs. Paul Bain with Mrs. Cecil O'Steen as co-hostess.

Chapter AE of PEO will meet Tuesday, April 22, at 3 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Henry Haynes, 518 South Pine.

The Hope Junior High mothers will meet at the High School auditorium Tuesday at 9 o'clock to receive instructions for taking the Hope School District census.

Thursday, April 24

Ladies Day Luncheon will be held at the Country Club Thursday, April 24, at 12:30. Hostesses will be Mrs. Fred Ellis and Mrs. George Robison.

Friday, April 25

VFW Auxiliary and Post are having a Benefit Party at the Hut April 25 at 7:30 p.m. All proceeds will go to the VFW Cancer research program.

Mrs. J. P. Nichols Honored on 70th Birthday

Mrs. J. P. Nichols was honored on her 70th birthday April 20 with a birthday dinner.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Nichols and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McKamie, Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Yocum and family, all of Rosston, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Nichols and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Yocum and son, of Hope, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Nichols and son, of Texarkana, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Nichols and family of Stamps, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Gibson and family of Patmos, and Mr. and Mrs. Ruby Nell Nichols of Camden.

Fulton Rose Garden Club Names Officers

The Fulton Rose Garden Club met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. C. Orton with Mrs. Davis Weaver, Mrs. J. J. Battle, and Mrs. I. E. Odum as co-hostesses. The business session was presided over by the president, Mrs. J. C. Orton. It was unanimously voted to accept the following officers named by the nominating committee:

President, Mrs. Herbert Cox, vice president, Mrs. Dave Dickinson, secretary, Mrs. Olin Hughes, treasurer, Mrs. Cecil Cox, reporter, Mrs. Gus Davis.

Mrs. Herbert Cox and Mrs. Charles Boydland presented a program on birds. Mrs. Ed Wilson won the exhibit which was a bird nest. Mrs. I. E. Odum was given the "Yard of the Month" plaque.

Birthday Dinner Held Sunday

A birthday dinner was held Sunday honoring Mrs. Roy Berry and her father, J. F. Jordan, at the home of the latter in Blevins.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Berry and family, Hershel Dwayne and Shirley Jane, of Houston, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mann and sons, Terry Lee and Rex David, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Roscoe and son, Billy, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Daniels and daughters, Shelia Jean and Shelia Kay, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Jordan and daughters, Charlotte Ann and Sophie Yvonne, Mr. and Mrs. Fate Horton and children, June and Lafayette, all of Hot Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hoover and children of McCaskill, Mrs. J. F. Jordan, Mrs. Dora Garner, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hoover and son of Blevins, Roy Berry and daughter, Minnie of Hope.

Coming and Going

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Myers and daughters, Caryl Joy and Cheryl Jim, of Dallas spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Kenzie McKee and daughters.

Earl Downs of Bodeaw was the Sunday guest of relatives and friends in Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Downs left Sunday for Pine Bluff where they

## Ex-Convict Held for Kidnapping

Havana, Cuba, April 21 (UP)—Ex-convict Charles W. Johnson was in custody here today awaiting his return to Miami, Fla., where he is suspected of having masterminded a "remote control" kidnap-extortion plot.

He was held in the Canana fortress—Cuba's military prison after police seized him at the swank Hotel Nacional yesterday.

The 33-year-old ex-convict's arrest ended an international manhunt set off when \$15,000 in jewels and \$200 in cash were exorted from a Miami jeweler, Daniel Richter. Richter paid the amount after he was advised by telephone that his six-year-old son had been kidnapped.

The boy turned up unharmed at a Coral Gables hospital, where he was taken by a taxi driver who had been duped by the extortionists.

Police said Johnson surrendered peacefully after three detectives followed his trail from two other high-class hotels the Plaza and Belmar—where he registered earlier. They said he was unarmed.

Police added that all the missing jewels except a watch Johnson pawned in Miami were found in one of the hotel rooms he had occupied. The gems included a pendant, three diamond bracelets and two diamond rings.

Detectives were expected to arrive from Miami to return Johnson there, although he insisted he was innocent and said he would refuse to sign extradition papers. Secret Police Chief Fernandez Paragon said if Johnson resisted extradition the Cuban government would expel him as an "undesirable alien."

When the detectives, using a passkey, entered the hotel room and found Johnson he did not seem to realize what was happening. Although he speaks fluent Spanish he said he didn't understand the detectives. They called an interpreter and then took him to secret police headquarters for questioning.

At midnight the ex-convict was transferred to the military prison. "I have been framed and the only reason they are trying to pin this on me is because I am an ex-convict," Johnson said.

Johnson was traced to Havana after a man using the name of Kingsley Elliott boarded a plane for Cuba from Miami Friday afternoon. The name had appeared as an alias on Johnson's criminal record.

## Egypt Is Holding German Scientist

Cairo, Egypt, April 21 (AP)—Egypt is reported to be holding a German rocket scientist under house arrest today after ousting two others of a research team five days ago. The Egyptians, a reliable informant said, think the scientists spent 100,000 pounds (about \$200,000) last seven months on chemical research connected with a rocket project but got no results.

will make their home.

Mrs. Win. Ramsey returned to Dallas yesterday after spending several days with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Jordan and children, Charlotte Ann and Sophie Yvonne, were the week end guests of Mr. Jordan's sister, Mrs. Roy Berry and family.

Mrs. C. C. Collins has returned home after spending several days with her daughter, Mrs. T. H. Berry and Mr. Berry in Gibsland, Louisiana.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. McDowell and children, Ronnie, Johnny Glen, and Carolyn, of Fort Worth, Texas, and Mr. A. M. McDowell also of Fort Worth were the week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McDowell.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Ramage Aylett announce the arrival of a baby girl, Brenda Kay, on April 19, 1932 at a Nashville, Ark., hospital. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Luther Delaney of this city and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Luther Aylett of Nashville.

Personal Mention

S. L. Murphy has been removed to his home after undergoing surgery in a Little Rock hospital.

Hospital Notes

Julia Chester. Admitted: J. J. Foster, Blevins; Mrs. Jimmy Simms, Texarkana; Mrs. Jim Moore, Fulton; Sam Earle, Stamps.

Discharged: C. L. Nannie, Ozark; Mrs. Robert H. Duggan, Emmet; Mrs. Alice Aaron and son, Jerry Wayne, Hope; Mrs. Claude Whitehurst, Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Simms of Texarkana, announce the arrival of a son, 4-21-32.

Branch

Discharged: Mst. James Shell, Emmet; Miss Zenobia Reed, Hope; George Jett, Texarkana, Texas.

Josephine

Admitted: Bobby Fred Garrett, Hope; Mrs. O. I. Lynn, Canfield, Arkansas.

Discharged: Mr. Jewell Shields, Hope; Mrs. Claudia Hutson, Hope; Bobby Garrett, Hope; Mst. Roger McLain, Hope.

## ROSE FESTIVAL TO VISIT HERE



Bonnie Lou Hale, one of the 1932 Greater Little Rock Rose Festival winners, will be a two-day goodwill tour through Southwestern Arkansas today and Saturday, April 25 and 26. She will be accompanied by her two maids, Mary Bob Foreman and Jenny Tucker.

The tour will begin at 8 a.m. on Friday, April 25, when it leaves Little Rock to visit Hot Springs, Glad, Monticello, Nashville, D. Queen, Ashdown, Texarkana, El Prevett, Gordon, Arkadelphia, Malvern and Benton.

Mayors in the cities visited will make honorary chairmen of the 1932 Rose Festival, sponsored by the Greater Little Rock Young Business Men's Association. Little Rock products will be presented to the mayors each city.

The Rose Festival will be held in Little Rock, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, May 1, 2 and 3. The coronation of the Rose Queen of 1932 at the Robinson Theatre on Thursday Night May 1, will officially open the 1-day event. Following this will be many festivities including: Annual Hat Show sponsored by the Little Rock Federation of Men Clubs, May 2; the Flower Show at the Territorial Restaurant; the Distinguished Guests Banquet, Hotel Marion, Friday May 2. A beautiful floral parade will be held Saturday afternoon, May 3, beginning at 2:00 P. M. The Festival will be climaxed with Queen's Royal Ball at the Auditorium, Saturday night May 3. Bands and his orchestra have been engaged to play for the ball.

This tour is one of 7 similar ones that are being made to over 100 cities in the state at this time.

## DOROTHY DIX

### What Is Love?

Dear Miss Dix: Will you please tell me a few things about love's study. For a few weeks I feel completely confused. I'm 21, pretty in love with her, then I lose her and have been going with a very young girl. After a while I again find her who is 22. We've been together for a year, and in the time I drive her home from college she seems to be so, work every day, bring her flowers

and candy. We discuss the future, then all of a sudden I become bored with her, find fault with everything she does and am generally disinterested.

If I marry her will my love die altogether, or will it strengthen? Perhaps I'm moody.

Answer: From the beginning of time, I guess, lovers have been trying to define love. Millions of books have been written on the subject—in fact, more than on any other topic. Love is practically unteachable. Why? Because to each of us it means something else. To some it is a wild, untethered emotion, to others just a warm, comfortable feeling of security with the beloved. Love absolutely evades a positive definition.

You Are Unstable. You are probably a vacillating person, and so cannot be stable even in love. I think also that you expect too much from your young love. Being more experienced in the ways of the world than she is, you find, perhaps, that some of her actions are a trifle gauche and become impatient with her inexperience. Having known her "only a year, you have exhausted the depths of her intelligence rather quickly if you become bored with her already.

I doubt if marriage will strengthen your love. More likely it will increase the boredom. The temporary separations that now make your courtship are no solution to the problem. A separation makes you anxious to see the girl after a brief absence, but marriage will permit no such luxury as frequent vacations from each other. If an easily constant association of a few words brings on an attack of loneliness now, what will the constant companionship of marriage do? Your ultimate difficulty is that you are not willing to accept the responsibility of marriage in the first place, and secondly you are loath to make an effort to change your moody disposition to a more cheery one. You are disinclined to make any effort to meet your problem and provide your own answers, though I'm sure you know what they are. If you feel that you and your girl friend are incompatible, tell her so now; don't prolong her hopes. If you sincerely look forward to marriage with her, back to your own disposition and find the help of another girl.

Dear Miss Dix: I am 16 years old, a junior in high school. I go out quite a bit but only with one boy. I realize we both should be getting out with other people, but how can I suggest this to the boy without hurting his feelings? I feel that I would have been asked out by other boys but for the fact that everybody keeps pairing us off.

Answer: You are very wise to realize the unsuitability of keeping steady company at your age. It will be inadvisable to change the situation without hurting your boy friend's feelings, but follow Shakespeare's advice, "I must be cruel, only to be kind." You'll probably be dateless for a while as it will take time for others to appreciate your changed status. Having been so accustomed to pairing you off with one boy, they'll probably just shut you off to the background, but after a brief interim you'll be happily accepted as an untethered spirit—a girl just suited to a 16-year-old.

## Forrest City Woman 'Mother of Year'

Little Rock, April 21 (AP)—Arkansas Mother of the Year for 1932 is Mrs. Abner Harris Brunel Walker of Forrest City, who has eight children and 18 grandchildren.

A. L. D. election was announced today by Miss Dorothy Alley of Little Rock. Mrs. Walker is chairman of the Arkansas Mothers' Committee of the National Golden Rule Foundation.

Mrs. Walker was elected not only for her homemaking and family life, but also for her civic and the beloved. Love absolutely evades a positive definition.

## One 'Phone Strike Still Unsettled

New York, April 21 (AP)—A strike by the Western Electric Company employees was the only unsettled telephone wage dispute to date, but it carried a threat to phone service in 23 cities in 21 states.

Employees' advice, "I must be cruel, only to be kind." You'll probably be dateless for a while as it will take time for others to appreciate your changed status. Having been so accustomed to pairing you off with one boy, they'll probably just shut you off to the background, but after a brief interim you'll be happily accepted as an untethered spirit—a girl just suited to a 16-year-old.

Dear Miss Dix: I hope you can help me with these problems. I'm 16 years old and very interested in a boy who likes someone else, but I know I can get him if I try. Could you please give me some methods? Also, how soon can I invite some one to a prom?

Answer: I try to write an ethical column and it would certainly go against the grain for me to advise you how to steal another girl's heart. I've always been convinced this was the lowest form of thievery. Can't you find a boy on your own? As soon as you know the details of your prom, you can invite someone to it. But please, don't make the help of another girl.

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## Queen Elizabeth Is 26 Years Old

Windsor, England, April 21 (UP)—Queen Elizabeth II celebrated her 26th birthday today by reviewing the Grenadier Guards in the rain to keep a 10-year-old promise. She later presided over a family luncheon.

The rest of the commonwealth will celebrate the queen's birthday June 3. By tradition the official celebration of a sovereign's birthday is held during June, when the prospects for favorable weather are better.

## DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME

London, April 21 (AP)—Britons have set their clocks ahead one hour for the summer, putting that time six hours ahead of Eastern Standard Time in the United States.



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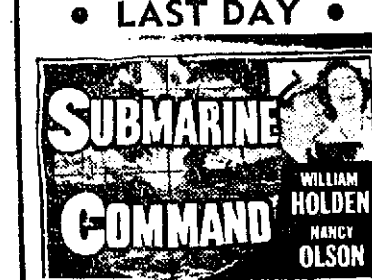
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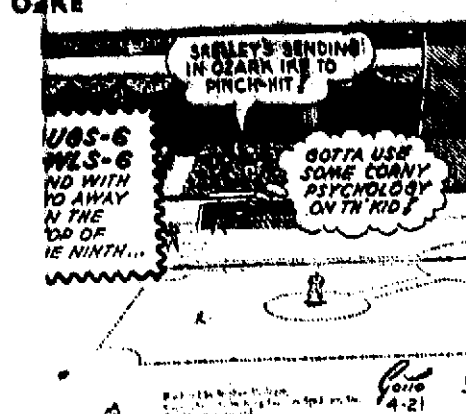
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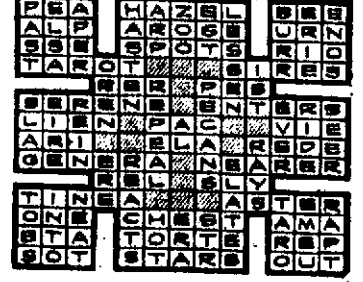
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Big Bosses

- HORIZONTAL**
- 1 Turkish army boss
  - 4 Catholic leader
  - 8 Distribute, as cards
  - 12 Male sheep
  - 13 Arabian boss
  - 14 Italian river
  - 15 Malt beverage
  - 16 Ambassadors boss these
  - 18 Trades
  - 20 Worms
  - 21 Anger
  - 22 Conservative
  - 24 Formerly
  - 26 Stringed instrument
  - 27 Stalin is the boss
  - 30 Sitting
  - 32 Greek goddess of wisdom
  - 34 Penitential
  - 35 Beverage vessel
  - 38 Hypothetical forces
  - 37 Pleasant
  - 39 Foundation
  - 40 Volcano in Sicily
  - 41 Drink slowly
  - 42 Rub out
  - 45 Missives
  - 49 Low female voice
  - 51 Decay
  - 52 Church recess
  - 53 Mexican landowner is his boss
  - 54 Australian ostrich
  - 55 Beloved
  - 58 Sea eagle
  - 57 The lion bosses his
- VERTICAL**
- 1 Street wanderer
  - 2 Festive
  - 3 An elected President
  - 4 West Indian volcano
  - 5 Hebrew measure
  - 6 Pigs boss this place
  - 7 Age
  - 8 Flower
  - 9 Love god
  - 10 She bossed England
  - 11 Deprivation
  - 17 Cylindrical
  - 19 English river
  - 23 Declaim
  - 24 Norway's capital
  - 25 Require
  - 26 He bossed Russia 1917-24
  - 27 Redecorated a room
  - 28 Set's son (Bib.)
  - 29 Fruit
  - 31 Core
  - 33 Custom
  - 38 Visitor
  - 40 Natural fat
  - 41 Rock
  - 42 Habitat plant form
  - 43 Lasso
  - 44 Handle
  - 46 British school
  - 47 Mussolini once bossed
  - 48 Daze
  - 50 Imitate

Answer to Previous Puzzle



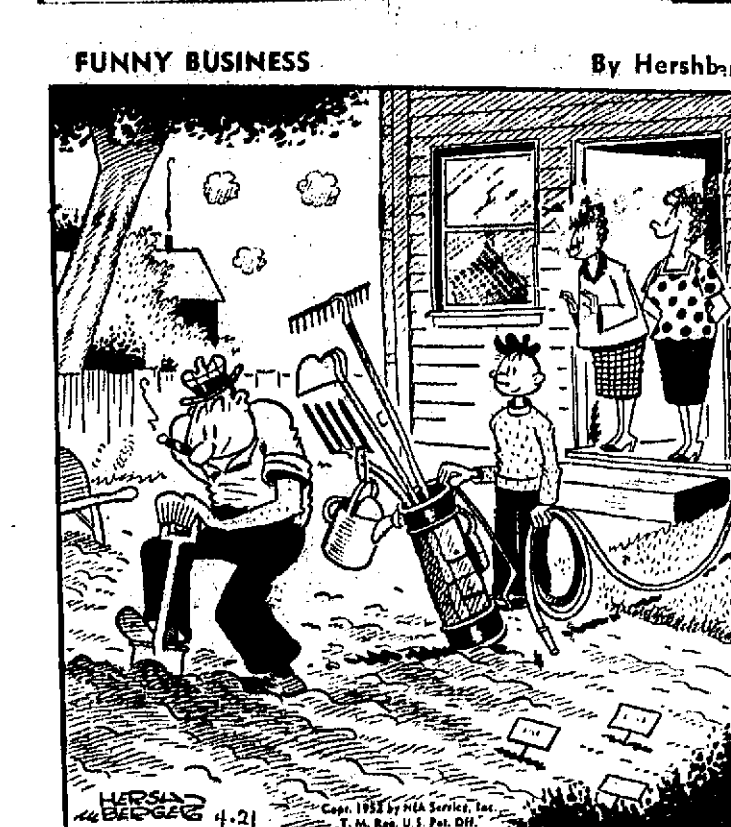
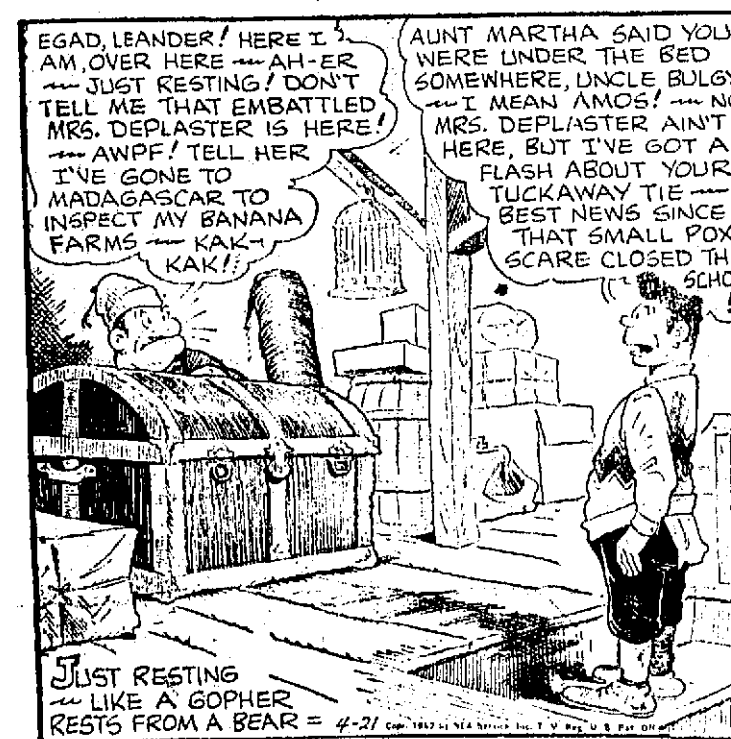
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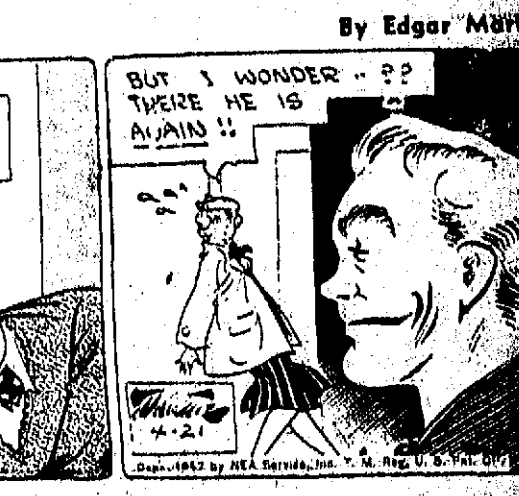
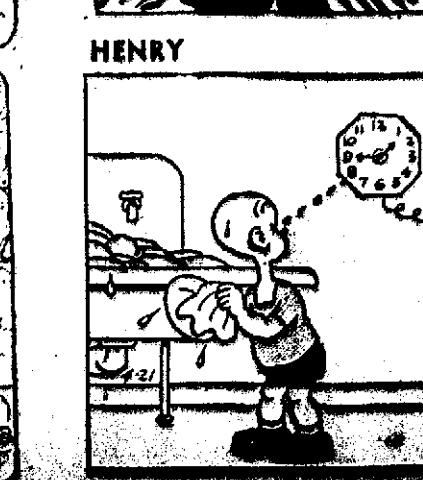
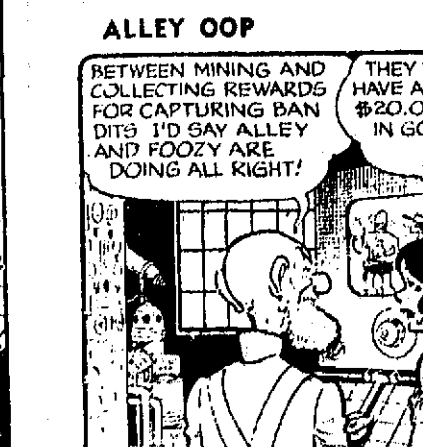


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By Blosser



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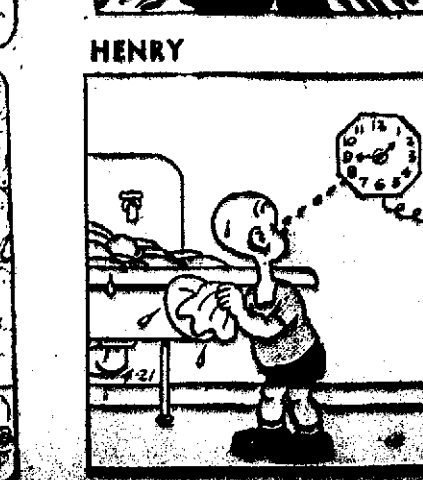
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**PET MILK**  
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10 Lb. Bag  
**79c**

**Maxwell House COFFEE**  
1 Lb. Pkg.  
**81c**

**PURE LARD**  
8 Lb. Pail  
**1.19**

**TOMATOES**  
Tube  
**15c**

**Swift All Sweet MARGARINE**  
Lb.  
**25c**

**Armour Star BOLOGNA**  
All Meat Lb.  
**43c**

**DALLARD BISCUITS**  
2 Cans  
**72c**

**HEART'S**

**Slogans Play Big Part in Campaigns**  
By JAMES MARLOW

Washington, April 21 (AP)—Since the voters know they're not choosing between Shakespeare and Shelley, they can hardly complain if campaign speeches are a little less than a little literary luster.

Nevertheless, these speeches, or something, move whole battalions of voters to try to sum up the campaign issues in a simple phrase, sometimes called a slogan. Many must sit up nights doing this.

When President Truman ran for election in 1948 the Democratic National Committee had a headquarters here was deluged by mailed-in slogans.

Although each author indicated he had hit on something new, there was a certain similarity among the offerings which ranged from "Truman is Human" and "No Human With Truman" to "Truman is a Truman."

And this year while it still seemed possible Truman might try again, and before he said he wouldn't, a swarm of busy-bee well-wishers started sending in their slogans for 1952.

After his withdrawal, the mail continued although this cannot be taken as an indication the letter-writers have retired. They may be conserving their energy for a new candidate who can start beating it in their heads.

On the Republican side the supporters of Eisenhower and Taft got off to an early if not entirely brilliant start with "I Like Ike" and "Win With Taft."

Politicians have an affinity for slogans for reasons which may seem myopic to outsiders who'd like a little scientific evidence that slogans suffice a voter into a political booth.

In their book "A Grammar of American Politics" William E. Brinkley and Malcolm C. Moos report that Helen Penrose then the Republican boss of Pennsylvania, decided the 1920 campaign issue would be "Americanism."

When asked what "Americanism" meant, according to Brinkley and Moos, Penrose replied: "Darned if I know, but you will find it a damned good issue to get voters in the election."

And maybe it was because "Americanism" and "Back to Normalcy" were Republican battle cries in 1920 when Harding won. In 1924 the voters may have hoped to "keep cool with Coolidge." At any rate, they elected him.

And, whether or not the voters thought Hoover could put a "chick-on in every pot" for them in 1928, they elected him. They turned against him, though, in 1932.

That was the year the depression was spreading and the Republican assurance that the "worst is over" may have seemed a little premature to them. They chose, instead, Roosevelt, whose Democrats were promising "happy days are here again." Maybe this cheerful note did the trick.

No campaign since has lacked a slogan. So there's no reason to worry that this one will.

**DeQueen Girl Wins Contest**

Little Rock, April 21 (AP)—The winner of the fourth statewide "Employ the Physically Handicapped" essay contest is Dot Graves, DeQueen High School student.

Miss Graves will receive a \$25 defense bond and an all-expense trip to Little Rock.

Her entry was considered the best among 310 essays submitted by Arkansas high school students.

**Synthetic Fuels Must Be Produced**

Washington, April 19 (AP)—The time has come when we must begin to move into commercial production of synthetic fuels, Secretary of the Interior Oscar Chapman reports.

"It is not possible to increase oil refining capacity overnight," he said in his department's annual report, "and by the time taken it takes time to build synthetic liquid fuel plants."

"It is now highly desirable that commercial synthetic fuels plants be started to bridge the gap between industry and the research and demonstration plant work already done by the Bureau of Mines."

Chapman said there is no need to worry about the country's fuel supply "if we continue vigorously to develop our resources in the midst of this emergency."

But, he cautioned, "if we fail to do so we shall eventually find ourselves severely pinched as mounting demands press harder and harder upon presently available sources. The reserves are there but they cannot be brought into production overnight."

In a separate report, the Interior Department requested a study in which Ebasco Services, Inc., of New York, a management engineering firm, said that gasoline can be produced profitably by hydrogenation of coal. The firm said its study showed that a price of 11 cents a gallon for the gasoline would return a small profit because of the value of byproducts. Ebasco made the study for the Bureau of Mines which is a part of the Interior Department.

Chapman said in his report that enough technical and engineering data are now available "to provide a sound basis for proceeding with commercial development of synthetic fuel plants." He added that there are enough raw materials—coal and oil shale—to meet all oil requirements for many years to come.

**One Way to Start a Business**

St. Smith, April 21 (AP)—Here's one way to start a business.

Two women are being held for questioning by the theft of towels, bed linens, shower curtains, rugs and curtains from a motel in need of Van Buren.

Chief of Police Vol Russell said the women told him they stole the goods because they wanted to open a motel of their own.

They were captured after a wild 80-mile an hour automobile chase across the Arkansas river bridge into St. Smith. The women finally were stopped when police shot out the rear tire of a trailer attached to their car.

**PRESCOTT NEWS**

Monday, April 21

The Community Choir members and their husbands will have a luck supper on Monday evening 7 o'clock at the Presbyterian church.

The Women's Association of the Presbyterian Church will meet Monday afternoon at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. Carl Dairymple.

A combined meeting of the classes of the First Christian Church will be held on Monday evening 7 o'clock in the home of Mrs. H. Thompson.

The W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church will meet on Monday afternoon at 2:30 at the church for the Royal Service Program.

A Bible Class for Women of the Church of Christ will be held on Monday afternoon at 2:30.

Tuesday, April 22

The Business and Profession Women's Club will meet Tuesday evening at 7 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Burrell Whitmarsh with Mrs. Burrell Stewart, Mrs. Ira Kitz, Mrs. Carrie Mae Gee and Mrs. Abbie Henry co-hostesses.

Spiritual Life Group Meets

The monthly meeting of the Spiritual Life Group of the Methodist Church was held on Wednesday morning in the home of Mrs. H. Humber.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. W. H. Burks. J. B. Hesterly presented the interesting study on "Abundant Living" by Stanley E. Jones. Closing prayer was voiced by M. Hesterly.

Mrs. Allen Gee Hostess to Wednesday Bridge Club

Mrs. Allen Gee was hostess to the Wednesday Bridge Club.

Wednesday Bridge Club at her home on Wednesday afternoon.

Arrangements of violets and narcissi were used for decorations in the room.

The high score prize was won by Mrs. Dudley Gordon, the travel prize by Mrs. Guss McCaskill and the bingo prize by Mrs. Harlow.

Other members present included Mrs. Dallas Atkins, Mrs. Clarke and Mrs. W. S. Hogan, Mrs. V. McMahan and Mrs. Jimmie were guests.

A frozen dessert course was served by the hostess.

Mrs. Dutchie Bright Honors Daughter

Mrs. Dutchie Bright honored her daughter Janet, with a lovely party on Wednesday afternoon in celebration of her fourth birthday anniversary.

The lovely gifts were opened and games were played.

The lawn table was covered with white cloth and centered with a chocolate birthday cake embossed with Happy Birthday Janet, followed by Mrs. Bright.

After the Happy Birthday song was sung and individual cakes were served to Sharon Dewoody, Pam Herrington, Phoebe Johnson, Mary and Glenda Igo, Sunnye and Sue Morris, James Wylie Duke, Larry Jameson, Glenda Martindale, Carolyn Hutton, Andy Bernis, Joe Duncan, Kay Vandiver, Sarah Margaret Purdie, Freddie Mosley, Gary Stewart, Amelia Harrell, Joe Ann Bright, Ken and Tommy Buchanan, Betty Lynn Robinson of El Dorado, Mary Beth Cloud and Linda O'Steen of Hope.

Favors were pops in pastel shades.

Mrs. Bright was assisted by Mrs. Brad Bright.

Dewey Stripling and J. D. Stripling were Wednesday visitors in Little Rock.

William Hays of Okolona spent Wednesday with his mother, Mrs. W. O. Hays.

Mrs. Paul Shackelford and her guest, Mrs. Fred Murray, of England, spent Wednesday in Camden visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hartwell.

Mrs. Frank McLarty and son, Mac, of Hope were the Wednesday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Berry Hesterly.

Mrs. J. D. Jordan and Mrs. John A. Davis spent Wednesday in Hope.

Mrs. J. A. Yancey, Mrs. Ted Smith, and son, Jimmy, were the Wednesday guests of Mrs. Allen Gee, Jr. and family in Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Logan and Mrs. W. G. Hensburg attended the Ouachita Presbytery in Lake Village last week.

Mrs. Leroy Phillips and Mrs. Sadie English spent Wednesday in Hope.

Bobbie Ann and William Ward Taylor of Commerce, Texas are the guests of their grandmother, Mrs. C. D. Ward.

**Ashdown Woman Dies in Wreck**

By The Associated Press

Two Sunday traffic accident deaths boosted Arkansas' violent fatality toll for last week to 13.

Mrs. Roy Cowling, 40-year-old resident of Ashdown was injured fatally when her car left Highway 71 about two miles south of Ashdown and crashed into a tree.

One person was killed and six others were injured critically in an automobile collision three miles north of El Dorado.

Dead is B. B. Greer, 35-year-old Magnolia trucking contractor. Critically injured were Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Baker of El Dorado, Mrs. Greer and her daughter, Mrs. Louise DeJarnatt of Little Rock and Mrs. Marc Taylor of El Dorado.

The body of a 65-year-old Crawford County farmer was found in Lee's Creek near Van Buren.

State Police Sgt. Bernard Young said Jarve Montgomery drowned while apparently trying to wade the creek.

**Texans Fined for Possessing Ducks**

Stuttgart, April 19 (AP)—Eight Texans were fined a total of \$1,600 in Municipal court here today for possessing more than the limit of wild ducks.

"The number of ducks killed and possessed by the defendants here last November was not disclosed. The law permits a hunter to kill 4 ducks a day and to have two days' bag limit in his possession.

Pleading guilty and fined \$200 each were Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Dora, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dorn, Mr. and Mrs. David Dorn, Fred Hamilton and Ferris Hamilton all of Midland, Texas.

**VIOLENT MAN**

Glasgow, Scotland, April 21 (AP)—Jim Ritchie arrested on a house-breaking charge punched his way through the plaster ceiling of his cell and escaped from the Marhill police station.

"This man" said a police call for his arrest, "is violent."

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